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## BOTHA QUILTS

According to Reports Printed Today  
In London Papers, but Govern-  
ment Lacks

## CONFIRMING INFORMATION

Decisive Battle Imminent at Philipstown,  
Where the British are Closing In  
on Beers.

DEATH OF WM. M. EVARTS THIS A.M.

London, Feb. 28.—All the papers  
of the capital print news of Gen.  
Botha's surrender. The war office,  
however, has no confirmation yet of  
such an occurrence.

Gens. DoWet and Herzog's combin-  
ed forces are near Phillipstown, where  
the British are closing in on Beers. A  
decisive battle is imminent.

London, Feb. 28.—The Daily  
Chronicle, which has received a report  
it believes trustworthy, though it has  
no means of verification, that Gen.  
Botha has surrendered to Lord Kitchener,  
says: "According to a可靠  
informant, Gen. Botha was to have  
been received at Lord Kitchener's  
camp at the end of this week. But  
if the London report is correct  
events have ripened with many sets  
already."

Bennett Burleigh wires to the Daily  
Telegraph from Debar, under Tues-  
day's date, as follows:

"The Orange river running high,  
the columns are tight and grip  
upon Steen, DoWet and Herzog, near  
Pretoria, and our patrols have  
been engaged. I anticipate that a  
general action is about to be fought,  
and that the collision is likely to  
be very serious."

Special dispatches from Pretoria locate  
Gen. Botha with a small force  
north of Middleburg. They point  
out that he is probably making for  
the headquarters of Commandant Vil-  
joen and the seat of the local govern-  
ment beyond Rosenkraal.

Lord Kitchener has been at Middle-  
burg for the last few days but there  
is no indication from any quarter  
other than that relied upon by the  
Daily Chronicle that Gen. Botha has  
surrendered.

Gen. Kitchener, telegraphing from  
Middleburg, to the Transvaal, on the  
railroad between Pretoria and Port  
of Durban East Africa, under date of Feb-  
ruary 27, says:

"The following additional captures  
are reported by French up to Febru-  
ary 20. Three hundred Boers surren-  
dered, one 10-pounder Krupp gun, one  
howitzer, a Maxim, 2,500 rounds  
of small arms' ammunition, 153 rifles,  
288 horses, 321 truck oxen, 1,600 carts,  
9,800 sheep and 25 wagons and  
carries. The Boers' casualties were four  
killed and five wounded."

Indianapolis, Feb. 28.—The militia  
is in arms awaiting the appearance of  
a mob, which is threatened, to lynch  
Doc Head, a negro, who is in jail  
charged with criminally assaulting  
Miss Dattie.

New York, Feb. 28.—Wm. M.  
Evarts, ex-United States senator and  
ex-secretary of the interior, and one  
of the country's most famous lawyers,  
died this morning of pneumonia. He  
had been feeble some days, but it was  
thought until last night that he was  
doing well. There is deep sorrow  
over the death of the beloved and es-  
tremed gentleman.

A REPORTED WEDDING.

It was reported today that a well  
known manufacturer, who has just  
moved to Illinois, and a widow of  
South Ninth street, were to be mar-  
ried today, but so far as we know  
they have not married thus far.

REVENUE TAX LAW.

COPROMISE MEASURE RE-  
PORTED AND AGREED TO  
BY SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The house  
and senate conferees reported an agree-  
ment on the new revenue reduction  
bill and the senate agreed to the re-  
port. It is a compromise all along  
the line, but repeals stamp on bank  
checks, express receipts and telegraphic  
messages and other important mat-  
ters.

ALMOST MORBED.

Souillie, Feb. 28.—A mob  
of whites almost mobbed a negro min-  
ister who condemned the Terre Haute  
lynching. He barely escaped.

999 WILL TAKE.

DR. FRANK BOYD  
OFFICE IN  
BROOK HILL BUILDING.  
Telephone—233  
Fourth and Broadway.  
Take the elevator.

Just Received an  
Elegant Line of

Lazell's and  
Woodworth's  
FINE PERFUMES.  
Call and See Them.

GARDNER DRUG ST. RE,  
Office No. 331 Broadway.  
Third and Lawrence Street.

SLAYDEN DYING.  
IT IS THOUGHT THAT HE CAN  
NOT LAST THROUGH  
THE DAY.

"Buster" Slayden, the Paducah  
nigro who assaulted Officer Wash at  
Mayfield, when an effort was being  
made to arrest him for maliciously  
shooting another negro in Fulton, and  
was shot by the Mayfield officer, is  
dying today according to reports  
which reached the city this afternoon.  
He was shot twice with a 44-caliber  
gun, and recovery is now deemed im-  
possible.

BURNED HIS WEALTH.  
Leghorn, Italy, Feb. 28.—Signor  
Nuguri, a millionaire, has committed  
suicide here, having previously de-  
stroyed Turkish securities worth the  
value of \$2,000,000 lire in order that no one  
might enjoy his fortune.

A PAINFUL SPRAIN.

Mr. W. J. White, clerk in T.  
Schwab's, painfully wrenched his  
back yesterday by lifting some heavy  
goods. He is able to get around only  
with great difficulty.

AN OLD CITIZEN.

MRS. SUSAN R. JONES PASSES  
PEACEFULLY AWAY.

Aged 80—Was Widow of a Once-Promi-  
nent Paducah—Funeral Tomor-  
row at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Susan R. Jones, aged 80, died  
from general debility at the home of  
her daughter, Mrs. J. V. Grief, 352  
Jackson street, at 8 o'clock this  
morning, after a long illness.

The deceased was a woman well  
known in Paducah, which was for  
many years her home. She was born  
in Indiana, and was relict of the late  
A. S. Jones, who built many of the  
streets in Paducah, and was a promi-  
nent and wealthy citizen. The two  
were married in 1842 in Virginia and  
came here to reside in 1844. After his  
death she went west and resided in  
Colorado until about three months ago,  
when she was brought here on a visit  
by her daughter, Mrs. John Johns.

The deceased leaves two daughters,  
Mrs. Grief and Mrs. Johns.

The funeral will take place at 2  
o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the  
residence, burial at Oak Grove.

APPOINTED CLERK.

MR. RALPH HOLLY SUCCEEDS  
MR. E. L. McMILLEN ON THE  
TRANSFER BOAT

Mr. Ralph Holly, a telegraph operator  
in the employ of the Illinois Central,  
was today appointed clerk on the  
Illinois Central transfer steamer  
Osborne, to succeed Mr. E. L. Mc-  
Millen, who tomorrow becomes  
assistant yardmaster here.

The changes among local Illinois  
Central officials mentioned a few days  
ago takes place tomorrow.

Trainmaster J. J. Flynn leaves to-  
night for Memphis to take charge of  
his new division.

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KILLED TWO PEOPLE.

Mecon, Ga., Feb. 28.—A vi. Cr.  
roll, a negro 20 years old, stabbed his  
old father and a neighbor woman, Di-  
nah Locket, to death. He is evidently  
insane. Carroll surrendered on  
reaching what he had done.

Hon. James S. Wortham, of Leitch-  
field, has been asked to serve as a  
special judge to try the Porter cases at  
Bowling Green.

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J. FRIEDMAN  
General Insurance

Has Removed to

No. 331 Broadway

See us About Any Kind of

Insurance.

Fire! Tornado!  
Life! Accident!  
Boiler! Burglary!  
Employer's Liability!  
Elevator and Health.

"Tis better to have always and  
not need, than to need once and  
not have."

A share of your business is lo-  
cated.

Respectfully,

OLIUS FRIEDMAN,

Office No. 331 Broadway

Third and Lawrence Street.

Call and See Them.

GARDNER DRUG ST. RE,

Office No. 331 Broadway.

Third and Lawrence Street.

Call and See Them.

## New Wash Fabrics.

The new washable cottons for this season are so dainty and winsome that we're glad to show them to you. 2,000 var's of new spring styles in light percales, 36 inches wide, \$1.30 and 12 1/2-yd. Fine madras in corded and stripe effects, 10s and 12 1/2-yd. All colors. Very fine zephyr gingham in all colors, for shirt waists and men's shirts, stripes and fancy cords, 15s to 25c yd.

Beautiful French madras in fancy lace stripe effect, in all colors, very fine quality, 50c and 60c yd.

Fine dress muslins in dainty colors, stripes and figures, 25c and 30c yd. Also fancy stripe silk muslins in most stylish colors, 30 lucerne wide, 80c yd.

**Taffeta Silks.**

10 pieces 35c taffeta silk in all colors and black, especially for linings and underkins, that we are offering for 40c yd.

Beautiful 20 inch taffet silk in all colors, 75c and 85c yd.

Extra good quality taffeta silk, 25c yds wide, in newest shades \$1 yd.

Our new raised black taffeta silk, 24 inches wide, heavy quality and beautiful finish, especially for fancy dress skirts, only \$1 and \$1.30 yd.

Very fine soft black taffeta silk, full yard wide \$1.35 yd.

27 inch heavy weight Chintz silk, 50c yd, in all colors and black.

**Kid Gloves.**

The Puritan—A fresh line of this brand in beautiful new shades. The best kid gloves that can be bought for \$1.

**Hosiery.**

Missouri fine ribbed black hose, all sizes, 100 pair.

Missouri fine lisle finished seamless black hose, 150 pair.

Boys' heavy ribbed bicycle hose, sizes 4 to 9 1/2, 150 pair.

Children's lace hose in blue, pink and red, sizes 4 to 8, 250 pair.

Missouri black lace hose, 250 pair.

Ladies' black lace stripe hose, 250 pair.

Ladies' black lace stripe hose, 250 pair.

Men's lace hose in all colors, 250 pair.

Dotted damask, very fine quality, and 300 pair.

**BELVEDERE  
SEWING  
MACHINE  
\$22.50.  
GUARANTEED FOR FIVE YEARS.**

**MILLINERY**  
Special Prices in Mourning Goods.

Miss Zula Cob's  
Second Floor.

**CARPETS.**

Type  
Can't  
Talk

If it could it woud tell you a'bout our line of Men's, Boys' Women's and Girls' Shoes we are throwing on the market this seasonable weather. Tis true the winter is well spent, but a few dollars spent to keep your feet dry is economy.

**OUR ENTIRE STOCK**

Of Box Calf and Vici Calf lined must go.

\$3.98 buys Men's Box Calf or Vici High Cut, were \$5.00

\$2.48 buys Men's Box Calf Calf lined, sold at \$3.00 and \$3.50

\$2.48 buys Men's Tan Russia Calf lined, were \$4.00

\$2.68 buys Men's Vici Calf lined, were \$3.50

\$2.48 buys Women's Box Calf elegant shoe, were \$3.00

\$1.98 buys Men's Calf lined Vici, were \$2.50

\$1.68 buys Women's Rainy-Day Boot, were \$2.00 and \$2.50

And many seasonable goods in broken lots and pieces we wish to eliminate, including

Rubbers! Rubbers!!

Understand at cut prices. No goods are sent out on ~~any~~ ~~any~~ one.

**US RUDY & PHILLIPS.**

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